

GIRL LOSES OUT IN DAMAGE SUIT AGAINST GOVERNOR

OXFORD, Mass., Dec. 12.—A verdict for the defendant late yesterday concluded a suit in federal court here for \$100,000 damages filed by Miss Francis C. Birkhead, stenographer, against Lee M. Russell, Mississippi's chief executive.

PHYSICAL TRAINING IMPORTANT SUBJECT IN LOCAL SCHOOLS

The Oregon school law requires all pupils in elementary and secondary physical training during periods schools to receive instruction in which shall average at least twenty minutes in each school day, exclusive of recess periods.

The worst type of school offers the child a dirty, ill-kept, badly lighted, unevenly heated, unventilated schoolhouse with an ugly, uncedared playground.

The best type of school offers the child a clean, well-lighted, well-ventilated, well-heated school building with a large, well-equipped playground.

Find out how many children have been killed while playing on the streets or roads.

Then think for just one moment: "It might have been my child." Then see what you can do to help the school authorities get enough playground space for your child and the other children of the neighborhood.

Statistics gathered at the time of the World War revealed 23 per cent of the young men of the United States physically unfit to fight for their country. More than one man in every five between the ages of 20 and 30, when a man is supposed to be at his best physically incapable of meeting his country's call!

Gross ignorance of the simple rules of health and hygiene costs the nation each year a sum nearly twice that spent for public elementary and secondary schools.

The county nurse finds a large per cent of children in Jackson county drinking tea and coffee, neglecting bathing and the brushing of their teeth, sleeping in unventilated rooms, and a large number of undernourished children.

Some school buildings of Jackson county are very unevenly heated, are poorly ventilated, are without play apparatus and a few lack good drinking water.

A standard school in Oregon must be well heated, have a thermometer, have good lighting, good water with sanitary equipment for drinking, washing of hands, and decent toilets. These pieces of play apparatus are also required of a standard school.

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RANIER APPLE IS AWARDED PRIZE AS BEST FRUIT

The American Pomological society, at its convention recently held at Council Bluffs, Iowa, awarded the Wilder medal to the Ranier apple, according to a letter just received by the Washington Nursery company, of Toppenish, Washington.

The Wilder medal is the Nobel prize of the fruit world. It was provided for by a trust fund left in 1885 by the late Marshall P. Wilder, scientist and pomologist, with instructions that it was to be awarded to a new fruit only after exhaustive investigation had produced proof of that fruit's supreme merit.

The Ranier apple originated in the Yakima valley. It is a new yet an old apple. Old because there are at the present time a number of trees in heavy and continuous bearing. It is a new fruit in the sense that its commercial importance, its distinctive features and its unusually high quality as a fruit have not recently been appreciated and made known to the public at large.

Three boxes of the 1920 crop were exhibited at the Washington State fair at Yakima late in September, 1921, and the Ranier attracted much attention and comment on its unusual quality and perfect condition.

Fruit of the Ranier picked during October 1912 was placed on the table at the banquet of the International Refrigerator Congress, Chicago, in September 1913, in perfect condition.

The quality of the fruit much resembles the Delicious but is of finer texture and better flavor. The Ranier is an exceptionally long keeper and does not show a tendency to become mealy. It is a dessert apple of highest order.

GIVE BABY CLINIC MEDFORD SATURDAY

A baby clinic will be held on Saturday, December 16th in the office of the county nurse, room 16, Sparta bldg., from 2 to 4 p. m. Babies from one to two years of age will be examined. The first ten to register will be taken.

A doctor will be in attendance and a thorough examination given each child. No treatment given and all cases needing medical care are referred to their own physicians.

These clinics are free and every mother should avail herself of this privilege. Registration may be made by phone 456 or by calling at the Red Cross personally.

"Burning Sands," Page
"Burning Sands," a story said to have been written as an answer to Hull's "The Shiek," opens at the Page theatre tomorrow for four days.

Milton Sills and Wanda Hawley play the principal roles in "Burning Sands," which tells the story of an Englishman who sought the heart of the great Sahara desert to escape from civilization.

The woman he loves follows him to his hiding place, but does not reach him until she has gone through some terrific adventures. The man also is asked by his government to assist in unravelling the mystery of a murder of one of its representatives and the theft of important papers that were in the man's possession.

Besides Sills and Miss Hawley there are in the cast Louise Dresser, Jacqueline Logan, Robert Cain, Walter Hall and many others.

George Medford made the production. He directed the making of "The Shiek" and "Behold My Wife."
A Laugh That Lasts
"My Lady Friends," a First National attraction starring Mr. and Mrs. Carter De Haven, at the Rialto theatre tonight. It is a farce comedy with so many humorous situations that the spectators are kept roaring from start to finish.
This attraction leaves tomorrow to make room for "The Cowboy and the Lady," with Tom Moore and Mary Miles Minter, from the famous story by Clyde Pitch, which plays the balance of the week.

EAGLE POINT EAGLETS

Last Tuesday there was quite a rush of hungry people collected at the Sunnyside about noon, and among them was W. E. Hammond, one of the directors of the Eagle Point Irrigation company, Fred Petygrew, his secretary of the company; Ralph Clegg, the chief engineer of the company and W. L. Jones, N. Cowski, R. Chambers, Mr. Nason, G. H. West, C. H. Natwick, Mr. Maz, J. H. Fawcett, Cliff Heckman and Harold Van Scoy.

We have been called upon to consign another member of our community to her last resting place in the Central Point cemetery. Mrs. Ellen E. Stelle, wife of J. H. Stelle, who passed away December 4, at her home near Eagle Point, aged 55 years, 7 months and 25 days. Mrs. Stelle has been a devoted Christian for the last 25 years. She is the mother of five children, two boys and three girls, one of her granddaughters being the wife of Mr. Lewis Robinson of this place. She leaves her husband, sons and three daughters. Interment was solemnized Wednesday, December 6, Rev. Hubert G. Adams officiating.

Miss Mable Clary was a passenger of the Medford-Butte Falls stage to Eagle Point and went on up to Rogue Resort on the Trail-Peristat stage Wednesday morning. Al Hiltbreth came out on the same stage and went on up to his home in Butte Falls.

Arthur J. Anderson and Steve Parf of Medford were here for dinner Wednesday.

Mrs. Charles Paige of Butte Falls came out on the Butte Falls-Medford stage, took dinner at the Sunnyside and went on to Medford the same day.

Thursday morning I received two copies of the Pacific Record Herald, edited by Robert Peck, associate editor, D. F. Lindus, in which is published a part of a very readable article by the editor-in-chief boosting Medford as the center of the universe, which was very proper, but then on the next page was an anonymous article, "Thoughts From the Chimney Corner," giving Medford such an overhauling as if it was true, would make those who live there feel a terrible nausea of the stomach on account of having to drink the water that is brought from Fish Lake after it has been spread over the land above the dam, that is, contaminated. After the arrangements were made to supply Medford with pure water from Little Butte creek it was discovered that a company had practically pre-empted the water supply of Medford and was building a dam across Fish Lake and when too late to remedy the evil the citizens of Medford discovered that the dam was backing the water over the adjacent country, covered by old barns, manure piles, discarded garbage, decayed trees and other vegetable matter and this polluted water was going into the pipe that supplied the city with drinking water.

In a short time after this was discovered a howl was raised, but soon the administration in the city affairs was changed and everything went on smoothly, but now there is another change in the political affairs of the city and who knows but the "Old Pioneer" who wrote the article may not be an old sore head that has been disappointed by the election the 7th day of November. But at any rate the publication of such an article will not be a drawing card for Medford. I suppose that the author thinks that he can hide behind a non de plume and go unsuspected, but "murder will out."

J. W. Hovey the superintendent of the Alavesta orchard, was in town last Wednesday and reports that he is getting along nicely with his work, that he had quite a tract of land that had not been cleared off, and that he has been clearing them off and used them to build a good road over a low place over the route they have to travel from the house out to the county road, the Crater Lake highway and that he has put dirt from the side of the newly built road over the rocks and gravel over that so that now he has a good gravelled road all the way out.

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Mr. and Mrs. Nellie Trefren also of Butte Falls, came out on the same stage and took dinner. They were both on their way to Medford.

John E. Rinehart and Fred Fritsger came in to spend the night. Mr. Rinehart is an old friend of Mr. Fritsger from Ohio and concluded that he wanted to see some of the west so came out to visit his old friend. They have been stopping at the Sunnyside for several days. He seems to be well pleased with our country, but is rather reticent when it comes to expressing his opinion.

Paul Jennings and Paul F. Anderson of Big Apple came in Thursday night and called for supper, bed and breakfast, and horse feed, but as we do not keep horses, sent them to our neighbor, Sam Harnish. They had come over to get a lot of Jersey cows at the Fred Pelouse farm.

All Clements of Medford came out on the stage and went up on the Trail stage, and Mrs. Sherman Woolley of Butte Falls also was here and went up home on the Medford-Butte Falls stage the same day.
Benjamin Whetstone was in town Friday morning, having his horse

shod up, as he has a job of hauling lumber out from the Hayes sawmill on Indian creek out to the Crater Lake Highway.
Our popular sheriff, Charley Terrell and wife, were here for dinner and they were accompanied by Miss Mabel J. Haynes, secretary of the Red Cross of Jackson county. They were on their way up to see a family in the Derby region who were reported as needing help, as the husband was in the county jail.

ELK CREEK

Dist. 74 has been in fear of losing a few weeks school, as the teacher who contracted to teach this school was forced to resign on account of illness. Mr. Davis has taken the school. He came from Medford in a taxi yesterday (Sunday) in order to teach school Monday. There are eleven pupils. An efficient chairman was responsible for securing a teacher immediately with out interruption of the school.

The coming of a sawmill will be a great boon to "little" Elk Creek," as Mr. Hayes has been busy establishing a sawmill on Dave Pence's property. We have been in need of a sawmill for a long time as lumber is a long way off, and it isn't very easy to haul it on roads which are not in good condition.

Persist in having their dose of Old Man Winter as it was reported that 8 inches of snow covered the ground up to Sunday morning the 10th.

Mr. MacDonald, who runs the confectionery store at the Rogue Elk Resort, is selling out his stock of groceries and periodicals.

Harvey Morgan went to town last week in his limousine (horse power). L. A. Whitley went to Eagle Point Monday for a load of hay.

Mrs. P. E. Sandoz was a visitor at the school Thursday.
Clara Moor went after his horses which were on his homestead at Peristat.

Wm. Ivey visited at his home for a few weeks; also at his grandmother's place, Mrs. P. A. Whitley. He returned to his work Sunday.
Howard Ash and family returned to their place on Elk creek Saturday. Mr. Ash was accompanied by Wayne Ash, his brother.
Elmer Ivey has been spending a short visit from high school.
A postal inspector was up in this territory inspecting the postoffice.

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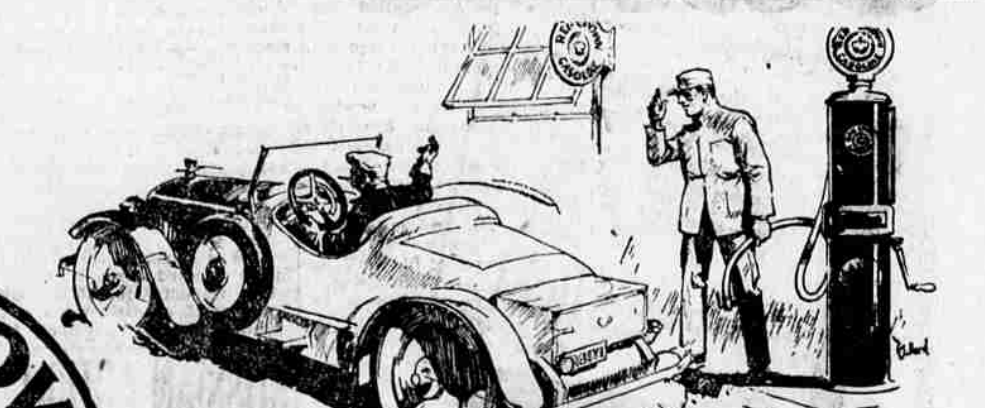


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If you'll only listen to us, we have a really worthwhile suggestion that will help you answer that annually bothersome question—"What shall I give for Christmas?" For instance:
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For Sister—whether her hair is bobbed or not: **The Curling Iron**—it keeps the hair so nice.
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